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OUR LAW GIVERS.

Yesterday's Proceedings in the Legislature.

Conger Elected to the U. S. Senate.

More Facts in the Morey Business.

Three Frightful Explosions--Loss of Life.

Murderous Outbreak of Boers in Africa.

COLORADO

Colorado's Legislature

DENVER, January 7 — The senate assembled at 10 a m.

Senator Parrish, of the committee on securing other quarters for the sessions, reported that there was nothing to say, and asked that the committee be discharged, which was adopted.

The following bills were introduced:

No 17, by Freeman—An act to amend section 2 and 3 of chapter 12 of the general laws of the state of Colorado relating to mortgages.

No 18, by Walcott, of Clear Creek, for an act to punish for wilful trespass.

No. 19, by Rhodes, a bill to amend section 153 of chapter 24 of the general laws.

No. 20, by Johns, for an act in regard to investment of trust moneys of infants and others.

No. 21, by Johns, a bill for an act to amend an act entitled, "An act to provide for assessment and collection of revenue and to repeal certain acts in relation thereto."

No. 22 by Jacobson, for an act to give the consent of the state to the purchase by the United States of lands within it for the erection of forts, magazines, arsenals and other needful buildings

No 23, Jacobson's bill for an act to prohibit lotteries and gift enterprises and to punish the promotor of the same.

No. 24, by Wells, an act to repeal section 1 of an act entitled an act concerning fences and enclosures in the state of Colorado and approved March 22nd, 1877.

No 25, by Weston, for an act to amend the law relating to the location of placer mining claims

No, 26, by Stanger, an act requiring the county assessor to collect statistical information and make proper returns thereof.

Senate bills Nos. 6 to 14 inclusive were read for the first time. Senator Barela offered a resolution appointing Pedro Dens and Vidal Sboblo interpreters which was adopted.

The senate then proceeded to the house to hear a continuation of the counting of the state vote. Upon returning Mr. DeFrance raised objections to the assembly halls and believed it would be dangerous to the members to remain in them during the session. The matter was further discussed by various senators, most of whom had colds or other complaints supposed to have been contracted in the legislative halls.

The senate bills 15 and 16 were read for the first time and senate bills Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 were read for the second time and referred to the committee on printing.

Senate bill No 2, relating to printing 2,000 copies of the governor's message in English and 500 in Spanish, was adopted

The senate reassembled at 2 p m. A joint resolution providing for an apportionment committee was tabled

Mr. Parrish moved the appointment of a new apportionment senate committee, consisting of Freeman, Gale, Neiskirk, Rhodes, Johns, Jacobson, Wells, Hall, DeFrance and Peck. Mr. Eddy was added to the committee on motion of Weston

Stanger's joint resolution to pay a certain stenographer $2 00 [illegible] report the proceedings of the house for a daily morning paper was called up. Mr. Stanger moved to lei the resolution lie over till tomorrow.

Mr. Jacobson moved the appointment of a special committee on medical legislation composed of Gale, Corder, Peck, Eddy and Rogers.

Rhodes objected and said there are too many allopathic doctors on the committee

Jacobson then moved the chair appoint the committee, adopted.

Senator Rogers moved the rules be so amended as to send all bills to the committee on printing after the first reading Adopted

The rules were suspended to permit the reading of bills Nos 17 to 26 inclusive, also the following by Eddy, entitled an act to regulate the investment of orphans' funds.

By Senator Johns, an act providing for the registration of county warrants.

By Mr Weston, an act to create a criminal court in Lake county

The house concurrent resolution for a joint committee on rules was called up by Wolcott, of Gilpin, and on motion the rules were suspended and it was adopted.

Lieutenant governor appointed Jacobson and Wolcott, of Gilpin, on the committee

Stanger obtained unanimous consent to introduce a bill to protect dairy men from the competition of oleomargarine that is not stated as such—

Adjourned till to-morrow

IN THE HOUSE

The house met at 10 o'clock, the speaker in the chair.

The usual preliminary proceedings were had

Mr Coulter offered a resolution appointing D J Chadwick reading clerk of the house

Mr Brush opposed the resolution on the ground that a reading clerk was not yet necessary.

Mr Lumrey took the same ground

The resolution was, on motion of Mr Brush, laid on the table

A recess was then taken until 11 o'clock.

At 11 o'clock the house was called to order, the senate announced, and a joint session was organized,—Lieutenant-Governor Tabor in the chair

The secretary of the senate then read the footings of the canvass made yesterday, as follows:

Governor—Pitkin, 28,465, Hough, 25,547, Chittenden, 1,408, scattering 1

Lieutenant governor—Robinson, 27,521, Stover, 24,238, Campbell, 1 469, scattering 5

Secretary of state—Meldrum, 27,263 Unfug, 24 506, King, 1,481, scattering, 23

Treasurer—Sanders, 27,587; Hull, 24,440; Pulsee. 1,448, scattering, 1.

Auditor—Davis, 27 448, Brey, 24 475; O'Rourke, 1,414, scattering, 17.

Attorney general—Tull, 27,338, Slaicup, 24,549, Hollingsworth, 1,479; scattering, 1.

Superintendent Public Instruction—Cornell, 27,503; Brook, 24,436, Lynd, 1,421; scattering, 7.

The successful candidates were declared elected by the speaker of the house, after which, on motion of Senator Rogers, the joint session adjourned

The house then reassembled and the following bills were introduced:

By Mr Coulter, a bill for an act to regulate the disposal of town lots and town sites on the public domain.

By Mr Coulter, a bill for an act regarding unmarried women.

By Mr Candless, to repeal certain sections of the stock law in regard to branding.

By Mr to prevent the fraudulent location of mining claims.

The bills were read the first time.

Mr Brush, from the joint select committee on improved rooms, reported in favor of retaining present quarters. The report was adopted.

A motion by Mr Brush to reconsider the vote by which the rules were yesterday adopted was voted down.

Mr Smart, of Routt county, introduced a bill to appropriate $4,000 to build bridges in Grand county, across Grand river between Hot Sulphur Springs and Grand lake. The bill was read the first time.

Recess at 2 o'clock.

In the afternoon the house met and adjourned over until Monday.

Death of Colonel Wilkinson.

DENVER, January 7.—Colonel C B Wilkinson, late editor of the Denver Republican, died at his residence in this city this evening, of heart disease. He has been unwell for the past week but not seriously enough to create any apprehension as to the fatal result.

GENERAL NEWS.

Washington News.

BRUCE FOR THE CABINET.

WASHINGTON, January 7. The Chicago Inter-Ocean's correspondent sends the following dispatch:

"The suggestion that Bruce, of Mississippi, will be called to the cabinet is well thought of by Garfield, but he will consider whether such a step would not stir up the south too greatly Bruce himself is anxious to have it understood that he does not insist on social recognition, but only holds to the rights of his people in every other way."

THE MORMON BILL.

Representative Willets, of Michigan, who has charge of the Mormon bill, which proposes to punish and discourage Mormonism by denying suffrage to any who practice polygamy, hopes to get it reported before congress this session, so that the next congress will deal with the question in a way to wipe out this disgrace. The democratic members of the committee are not so much interested in keeping it back now as they were last session when it was understood that Proctor Knott had a scheme to admit Utah as a state. Had the democrats carried the election this would have given two more democratic senators, There is now no such incentive to the democrats and the Mormons find themselves deserted by their friends of last year

MAINE POLITICS.

The news of Congressman Frye's withdrawal from the Maine senatorial contest in favor of Eugene Hale has excited much comment at the capital to day and strengthened the general belief that Senator Blaine really intends to enter President Garfield's cabinet as secretary of state, in which event Frye will certainly be elected to succeed him in the senate Mr. Blaine has not yet authorized any public statement in regard to this matter and apparently has not fully made up his mind whether or not he will accept a cabinet position, but that he may become secretary of state for four years from the 4th of next March, if he so desires to can be positively relied upon as a fact already known to a number of his personal friends The probabilities at present are that he will accept [illegible] and his return to the senate Frye will doubtless secure the speakership of the house

DISTRIBUTION OF SILVER DOLLARS

The total distribution of silver dollars from the New Orleans mint for the last six months is $5,970 000 of which there was sent to Texas $1 677 500 Louisiana, $1 379 000, Mississippi, $526 500 Alabama, $627 000, Georgia, $326 000, Tennessee, $329 500, Arkansas, $123 500, and Florida, $87,000

WASHINGTON BREVITIES

General Goff assumed charge of the navy department this morning

A member of the cabinet says the Chinese treaty is entirely satisfactory.

Senator Hill opposed the re opening of the Kellogg matter, because the witness against him was a rascal

The Chinese treaties and accompanying documents will be delivered to the senate on Monday

News from Tennessee is that a democratic senator will certainly be elected.

The election of Congressman Conger to the Michigan senatorship gives universal satisfaction in the house of representatives to his republican colleagues on his promotion, on his own account, and to the democrats on their own as he was always giving them a great deal of bother by his indomitable parliamentary persistency and habitual rasping sarcasm.

Further Developments in the Morey Matter

CHICAGO, January 7.—The Tribune's New York special says Truth will re-publish tomorrow a fac simile of the Goodall letter, which accompanied the Morey letter when it was sent to the Truth office. The object of the republication is for a comparison with a fac simile of the letter signed by Mrs. Elvins Carr, which will be also published, as well as for comparison with the Morey and Weaver letters published in Truth last Wednesday Truth says. "The Goodall letter requires no further explanation. The 'Elvins Carr Letter,' however, has a history, which, like itself, has never been given to the public. It was received by Truth on the 3d. of December, 1880, and although it purports to have been written on the cars going west, its envelope nevertheless bears the postmark of 'Station F, New York.'" The writer of the letter, Truth says, is correctly referred to by a masculine pronoun, notwithstanding the signature being with a feminine "Mrs."

Truth calls attention to the evident identity of the handwriting between both it and the Goodall letter and between both it and the Morey and Weaver letters. The identity between letter No. 2 and the Goodall letter, however, is not immediately apparent without the aid of the Elvins Carr letter. Truth says, in writing the Goodall letter, it is evident that an attempt was made to disguise any similarity between that and the Morey letter, which might appear to have been written by the same hand. This was at first successful, but the receipt of the Elvins Carr letter presented such a perfect connecting link between the other two that there was no longer any doubt that the same hand had written all three.

Truth concludes that the Weaver letter, the Morey letter, the Goodall letter and the Elvins Carr letter were all written by the same man, and the Morey forgery and the Weaver forgery both came from the same source Truth does not at this time pretend to name the author of the Elvins Carr letter, which is as follows.

ON THE CARS GOING WEST.

TRUTH: You are right about the Morey letter. It was not a forgery, and for the sake of a two thousand dollar position the whole thing might come out at the proper time. Truth shall have all the particulars and they will be given to no other paper, but while the theory is given such prominence in the papers, it would be disastrous to us to give you the true inwardness of that famous letter, which has given Truth a world wide fame and the democratic party 17 electoral votes, control of the United States senate, 2 governors and three members of congress. Now, Truth, I hope you will give Morey a rest for awhile and save your dear paper any further expense.

MRS. ELVINS CARR.

P. S —I directed the envelope before leaving home. E. C.

The letter is written with a lead pencil and the envelope addressed in ink. Truth goes on to state that on the second of December a letter written by Stilson Hutchins at Washington to Stanley Huntley, of the Eagle office, Brooklyn, was received by the latter gentleman, who tore the envelope in pieces and threw the pieces on the floor. He then resigned his position on the Eagle. These pieces of envelope were afterwards picked up and put together, and several days afterward, it is alleged, when the spy, B G Jayne, called upon Huntley, the latter denied ever having received such a letter, but what connection this envelope or Hutchins' letter has with the forgery is not shown

Truth then charges Huntley with having written on October 24th an article that appeared in the Chicago Tribune of October 25th, several days before Kenward Philp's arrest, and before the republican national committee knew he was suspected, and therefore he was the forger, because statements were made of facts which did not develop for several days, and which were unknown beyond a small circle that knew of the Morey letter. The dispatch to the Tribune is republished also, and the announcement made that it was made public before many of the facts mentioned in it were known to the republican national committee.

The Maine Returns

AUGUSTA, January 7.—The sub committee on the gubernatorial vote are ready to report to the full committee to morrow They find the following result on the straight vote, without any irregularities: Davis, 73,100, Plaisted, 71,367, Nye 306, Joy, 124, scattering, 555 The number of misnomers is 133 Quite a number of irregular returns, not signed by clerk, etc., are not reported in the above, but will be reported to the full committee. A conference is to be held to morrow between the two wings of the fusion party in the endeavor to harmonize future political action.

Narrow Gauge Consolidation

ST LOUIS, January 7 General Corse, president of the Toledo Delphos and Burlington narrow gauge railroad Hon Logan H Roots and C H Dyer of Arkansas, Col J W Paramore president of the St Louis and Texas railroad, and a number of capitalists of this city, have had a conference regarding the consolidation of all the narrow gauge roads and interests in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, Arkansas and Texas, with a view to the construction of a continuous line from Toledo to the Rio Grande. The proposition was received with great favor and it will be pushed forward to completion at as early a day as possible

Contestants for the Senate

SAN FRANCISCO, January 7 —A Carson City dispatch says the democrats held a caucus last night and nominated J G Fair for the U S senate. There seems to be some dispute as to the number present at the caucus, it being claimed by the anti Fair interest that there was not a quorum It has been supposed that Adolph Sutro would make a fight against Fair but it is stated that he will not.

Eads' Canal

NEW YORK, January 7 —The Washington special to the Herald in the opinion of not a few of the people here, says Captain Eads, who is a persistent and an ingenious man has got hold of the right place for the construction of an American ship canal because a canal across Tehuantepec would make the Gulf of Mexico a closed sea for American commerce and easily defended against all nations.

Explosion at Allentown

ALLENTOWN, PA., January 7.—A boiler in the high puddle mill of the Allentown rolling mill exploded last night, damaging the mill to the extent of $20,000 and instantly killing John Shak, aged 48; fatally wounding Hugh Gallagher, aged 23; Hugh Harrington, aged 19; Patrick McGee, aged 16, Jas. Roarty, aged 16; Chas. McClosky, 18. The following were badly injured; Samuel Berger, aged 26; Jas Harkins, aged 22; John Harkins, aged 13; Wm Gibbons and James Boyle. The boiler, which was twelve feet long and three feet in diameter, was rent in the middle and the two pieces were thrown in opposite directions a distance of 200 feet.

There are already nine deaths from the boiler explosion in the rolling mill last night. Three more are hourly expected. The names of the dead are Frank Gallagher, Patrick McGee, Dennis McGee, Charles McClockey, Hugh Roarty, James Roarty, Andrew Gallagher, Cornelius Feary and John Shanks.

Explosions at Newark.

NEWARK, N. J., January 7.—An explosion which was heard for several miles around, took place at 1 30 this morning in the vitriol department of Balbach & Sons' smelting works, on the Passaic river. Two boilers exploded, instantly killing the engineer and three workmen and seriously injuring two others. Three buildings and about $75,000 worth of machinery were destroyed. One end of the house of E Balbach, sr., was wrecked, his conservatory and stables ruined, and two valuable horses killed. The house of E. Balbach, jr., was injured by flying bricks, and a woman in the third story was seriously hurt The bodies of the killed are frightfully mangled. All were married men and leave families. Their names are John Mutz, engineer; J W. Schlee, George O. Gorman and John Queen. The badly injured are Oscar Jacobus and Joseph Verst. Loss estimated at $20,000.

Georgia's Votes

NEW YORK, January 7. The Tribune's Washington special says: "Alex H Stephens has expressed the opinion that the electoral vote of his state ought not to be counted. He was very emphatic in his characterization of the folly of the gentlemen who passed the law which makes the day for the assembling of the Georgia legislature the Wednesday following the first Monday in December, instead of the first Wednesday Other democrats in congress are of the same opinion as Stephens, among whom is Mr. Carlisle, of Kentucky, who says that while these votes plainly should not be counted, there is no way, in the absence of some definite rule of procedure on the subject, to reject them."

Political Gossip.

CHICAGO, January 7 —The Times' Mentor special says. "A prominent republican member of congress from Illinois, and an intimate friend of Garfield's to-day, said: 'Of course I don't know who will be in the cabinet, but I can name some who will not. Two of them are Charles Foster and Wm B Allison General Garfield is deeply interested in the question what will be done with David Davis. If any body could influence Davis to resign his seat or get off the fence on the republican side, he could render Garfield a service that would be appreciated more than any help that can be given him in cabinet making Conkling will come out of the Sprague trial blacker than the devil. His conduct in the Sprague family is a national disgrace and a disgrace to the republican party. He will be ruined He ought to be damned forever. He cannot be countenanced by such men as Garfield and Blaine after the exposure made of Sprague's suit' The correspondent goes on to say that Grant has taken to drink again, and has made an unfortunate exhibition of himself several times lately. Garfield said to day that he would not go to Washington until the first of March. Speaking of Conger, Garfield said there are but four men who could do the work Conger has done in the house.

The Varnish Explosion.

CHICAGO, January 7.—The Inter Ocean's New York special says the explosion of a can of shellac varnish in a feathering tub in Peter Doelge's brewery, on East 55th street yesterday, cost the lives of four men who were at work in the vat. The varnish caught fire from a lamp, by the light of which they were working. The men when rescued were taken to Bellevue hospital, where it was deemed probable that all four would die. At 1 30 a. m word comes that they are dead. A fifth, who helped them out of the vat, was badly burned about the hands. The names of the dead are Bessler, Charles, aged 27, who was burned about the body, Brano, William, aged 20, burned about the face, body and limbs, Pfanner, John, aged 20 badly burned about the hands, arms and face is far down at the knee; Wintzcherk, Anton, aged 32, terribly burned from head to foot In Peter, Doelger's brewery are fermenting vats nearly a hundred in number They are of wood and open at the top Entrance to their interior is gained through holes in the sides large enough to admit the passage of a man's body It was in one of these vats, ten feet across and twelve feet in length, that four men went down at 10 o'clock yesterday morning to varnish the sides.

They carried a can of shellac varnish and a hand lantern, the upper part of which was covered with leather The work to which these men were assigned is dangerous and George Arutz was within call outside the vat. The men inside had been at work nearly an hour, when suddenly a puff—as of a slight explosion—was followed by shrieks Brown appeared at the hole, his clothes and beard on fire, and scrambled through He was followed by tongues of flame, through which Arutz pulled out John Pfanner by main strength Bessler and Wintzcherk were rescued with difficulty, being too badly burned to help themselves. Arutz was severely burned about the hands The fire in the vat soon went out. Other workmen carried the injured men into the engine room and covered their bodies, from which the skin peeled off with their clothes, with oil and cotton. As soon as an ambulance could be procured by the police, the four men who were in the vat were taken to Bellevue hospital Arutz went to St Francis hospital himself and had his hands bandaged. As to the cause of the fire, different theories were advanced The oil in the lamp was non-explosive lard oil and the story that it had exploded, told by one of the burned men, was shown to be untrue. It is probable that the fumes from the inflammable varnish were ignited and the fire was thus communicated to the open can in which it was kept.

Railroad Earnings.

NEW YORK, January 7.—The earnings of the U P road for 1880 are $20,494,000, an increase over 1879 of $4,884 000 But this includes the accession of traffic from the Kansas Pacific and Denver Pacific consolidated as a part of the U. P. system last summer.

The earnings of the Chicago & Alton railway company for the fourth week in December last were $110,041 against $125,557 the year before, a decrease of $15 516. The earnings for the whole month was $533,563 against $553,014 last year.

Hale's Election Assured.

AUGUSTA, January 7.—At one o'clock last night the senatorial situation was suddenly changed by a committee of Frye's friends waiting upon Hale, unconditionally, withdrawing Frye's name from the canvass, and tendering their votes in the caucus to Hale. This insures a unanimous nomination in the republican caucus and the election of Hale to the United States senate.

Stocks and Bonds.

NEW YORK, January 7.

Silver bars, 110½. Money, easy, 4. Government, firm. Stocks closed strong.

Western Union	90¾	C. P. bonds	114½
Quicksilver	13½	Sutro Tunnel	1¾
Pacific Mail	50¾	D. & R. G. old	
Mariposa	3½	bonds	115½
Wells, Fargo	113	D & R G consols	113½
N.Y. Central	151½	D & R G stock	92
Erie	69¾	Coal & Iron Co.	
Panama	219½	bonds	97
Union Pacific	111¾	Coal & Iron Co.	
U. P. bonds	114¾	stock	38¼
Central Pacific	94¾		

The Denver & Rio Grande extension subscriptions of December are at 25 per cent. premium.

Bloody Doings In Africa.

LONDON, January 7. An official dispatch from Pietermaritzburg says Captain Lambert, lately a prisoner at Wiedelburg, has just arrived. He was released on parole with Captain Elliott and both sent to the Orange free states unarmed, but when crossing the Vaal river, the Boers who accompanied them fired on them and Captain Elliott was killed Sixty-two prisoners of the 94th regiment, released by the Boers, are on their way down. Captain Lambert gives the following account of the disaster to the party on the road from Pretoria to Lydenburg. The detachment was met by two men with a letter summoning the colonel to surrender and allowing two minutes for decision. The colonel refused to comply with the demand and formed his men, when fire was immediately opened on all sides. The officers were almost immediately shot down and the force disabled. The colonel then ordered a surrender. Eighty-six men were buried on the field and twenty six have since died. Captain Lambert estimates the number of Boers at Weidelburg at 8,000. He met a large number of Boers going in from the Orange free states. The commanding officer at Newcastle reports that 300 Boers have entered Natal and taken up a strong position on the road to the transvaal, about five miles within the border. They are pushing patrols to a point sixteen miles from Newcastle.

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Lot 200x190, North Weber, corner Monument, $1,475.

Three lots, South Nevada avenue, full size, each $225

Corner lot 100x190, North Cascade avenue, two blocks south of college, $1,350.

Lot 50x190, s w corner Cucharas st and Cascade ave., suitable for a row of tenement houses. Faces east. Very desirable. Within one block of National Hotel on Tejon st. Price $850.

Choice lot 50x199 feet, at s e corner Huerfano st and Nevada ave. Price $1,300

Lot 50x190 on Weber st about two blocks from Episcopal church. Price $425.

Lot 50x190 on Weber st, opposite Episcopal church. Price $1,050.

Seven lots on Cascade ave just south of the public school building. To be sold in a body.

Three choice lots on Pike's Peak ave, each 50x200 feet. Price $325 to $400.

One and one half lots on Corona st near the corner of Pike's Peak ave, being 100 feet front on Corona. Good location for tenement houses. Price $900.

Corner on N. Nevada, 200x190 feet. Price $2,000.

Two lots facing east, on corner S. Cascade ave, 122 feet frontage, at a bargain, if sold within a few days.

Residence lot on Weber st three and a half blocks north of Pike's Peak ave, 50x190 feet. Price $850.

Lots on N. Weber from $150 to $250.

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A. H. DANFORTH,
Secretary.

Colorado Springs, January 6, 1881. a 6 td

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Denver & Rio Grande stock is now 92 Its rapid rise shows that it will soon reach par

The old home of President Lincoln in Springfield, Ill, is now a cheap lodging house.

Barnum's denials amount to nothing because he daily published lies all over the country to show the genuineness of the Morey letter. Intelligent people have not yet forgotten the dispatches regarding the discharge of Hart.

Georgia's new consitution provides that the state legislature shall have biennial sessions and shall sit for only forty days. And thus it is that one of the oldest states in the Union follows the example of the youngest.

There is said to be a representative in congress from Alabama who has never made a speech or offered a resolution or a bill. He draws his pay promptly and is very popular in his district. Here is an example of a man, who, like Paddy in the song, minds the main thing.

The result of the senatorial contests has quite an influence on the election of speaker in the house. Mr. Frye will probably be a candidate, unless Blaine goes into Garfield's cabinet and Frye succeeds him in the senate. Conger's nomination to the senate from Michigan removes him from the list of possible candidates. Frye is likely to be the candidate for the east and Kasson for the west.

In the opinion of the Carson (Nev.) Appeal the office of Chaplain of the Nevada legislature ought to be abolished, as it believes prayers at five dollars each are too expensive. The Virginia City (Nev.) Territorial Enterprise, speaking on the same subject, remarks sententiously that "prayers are wasted on the Nevada legislature anyway." In this view of the case prayers at any price might justly be deemed extravagant.

William E. Chandler says: "If General Garfield were to invite Mr. Blaine to accept a place in his cabinet, and my advice were asked, I would advise Mr. Blaine to accept it. Such an appointment would, undoubtedly, be generally acceptable, and would add great strength to the new administration I think General Garfield will form a strong cabinet, but I do not believe he has yet made up his mind definitely as to any particular man for any particular place in it"

The election of Mr. Fair to the senate from Nevada is unfortunate for that state. Somehow the idea has got abroad that the state is owned morally, politically and financially by two or three bonanza kings. The success of a party simply decides which bonanza king rules. Had the republicans been successful it would have been Senator Sharon instead of Fair. We trust time will show that Mr. Fair has real qualifications for the senate outside of his money.

It is alleged by foreigners that the American press is the most disgracefully personal of any in the world The English people are especially shocked at the intrusion upon private life made by the American interviewer. We do not feel called upon to defend the American press but we would like to know with what grace such criticisms come from those who tolerate such papers as London Truth in a recent number of which the following scandalous paragraph appears

"I am sorry to hear that all well meaning efforts have, up to now, failed to induce Baroness Burdett Coutts to reconsider her decision, and to adopt if she so desires—instead of to marry, the American youth who is leading her into so deplorable a step. She will forfeit the life interest which she has in Coutts' Bank, her house in London, and that in the suburbs Her relatives have wisely considered that they ought not to assent to any terms of composition which might tend to facilitate this unnatural crime, for so it can only be termed. America will thus deprive the poor of the vast benefactions which the baroness has annually contributed to their wants out of the income derived from the bank. Were, however, such a marriage contemplated in America by an American citizen, it is only fair to add that public opinion would pronounce itself so strongly as to render it impossible"

ARAPAHOE'S FRAUDULENT ASSESSMENT.

The board of commissioners at their late meeting adopted the following preamble and resolution which has been sent to every board of county commissioners in the state with the request that the commissioners communicate with their members of the legislature on the subject

WHEREAS The assessment of Arapahoe county for the year 1880 is manifestly incorrect, and

WHEREAS Such assessment if allowed to stand will inflict a serious and unjust burden on all counties in the state which have returned a just valuation of property for said year. Therefore be it

Resolved That the chairman of the Board of commissioners of El Paso county be instructed to confer with the chairmen of the other boards of county commissioners throughout the state for the purpose of united action on their part to obtain an investigation of said erroneous assessment, and to secure relief from the same by legislative enactment or otherwise.

This action is practical It brings the matter directly to the attention of those most interested If the different county commissioners shall communicate with their representatives in the legislature, there will probably be an investigation, as there should be No part of the state can easily afford to pay more than its share of the state expenses, yet we are all called to pay for Denver's insufficient assessment. Ten years ago, when Denver's population was less than 5,000, and hardly one of her magnificent buildings had been erected, the assessment of Arapahoe was $10,000,000, or more than half what it is now, with her 40,000 inhabitants. The legislature can, by investigation, show where the fault lies, how much Denver's millionaires have perjured themselves; and how far the county assessor has been an accomplice. We are of the opinion that the results of the investigation will show that it was a conspiracy on the part of Arapahoe county to get rid of paying its just proportion of the state tax.

THE CAPITAL QUESTION.

The governor's message called attention to the requirements of the constitution that the present assembly provide for the permanent location of the capital of the state. A few years ago there were six or eight candidates for the honor, but they have virtually been narrowed down to one, and that is Denver. The claims of the other places for state honors were met by the location of the university at Boulder, the school of mines at Golden, the agricultural college at Fort Collins, the deaf mute school at Colorado Springs, the insane asylum at Pueblo, and the penitentiary at Canon. None of these places can in good faith enter the contest for the capital they having already received what they requested. Denver has neither received nor asked anything but the capital, and can rightfully expect when the time comes that the votes of these other cities will cordially join in her selection. [Denver Times,

This is quite an abrupt opening of the discussion of the capital question, with some very abrupt conclusions. We may state by way of introduction that the candidates for the honor have not narrowed down to Denver. We cannot speak for the other places mentioned, but can say that Colorado Springs is a candidate for the honor and does not consider that good faith requires that she should not be. We were not aware that the right to be a candidate for the capital was waived by the location of the Deaf-Mute Institute in this city. The Times says that Denver has neither asked nor received anything. This is the stock argument that is used on every occasion Denver's statesmen are neither modest nor unambitious. At the late state convention Denver asked for the lieutenant governorship, member of congress, state treasurer, and elector at large. It had a number of other aspiring statesmen, but it modestly restrained itself from presenting their claims. It then urged that it had had no office for some years but somehow Denver only secured the elector at large. The fault seems to be either that Denver does not present as good candidates for office as other cities do or that it has no good political leaders. In either case the trouble seems to be want of ability. In the contest over the speakership and president pro tem of the senate, Denver had a candidate for each. Both were defeated, though Arapahoe had more strength in both houses than any other county. It is all nonsense to say that Denver asks for nothing.

Denver has no more claim for the capital than other cities. It she has not obtained state institutions, it has probably been on account of want of harmony or want of attention on the part of her delegation. Denver has no moral claim for the capital whatever in the discussion of this question and the sooner its press drops such an argument the better. A city whose assessment is fraudulently low to escape its just proportion of the state taxes shows extraordinary audacity in making mention of such claims. If Denver is finally selected to be the capital it will be because the voters in the state prefer it because of its location, size, amusements and business.

About an Extra Session.

Denver Republican.

The suggestion of an extra session for the maturing and exacting of railroad legislation is not calculated to aid the project to secure the people from railroad encroachments and extortions Extra sessions are not popular. There is no way in which the people can enforce the calling of an extra session. The true rule is to give the most important matters the preference in the regular session. So in this case let the railroad legislation be attended to first, and let other matters, some of them perhaps things of mere personal concern, take the uncertain chances of an extra session. To suggest an extra session is to propose delay. And to delay is one method of defeating, indeed in this instance it is the safest method.

Nothing In It

Denver News

Admitting, for the sake of argument, that the Morey letter was a forgery, there is nothing in the disclaimer of Truth which places responsibility for that piece of bad work at the door of the democratic national committee, The editor of Truth avers that he was the honest dupe of a shrewd but dishonest trickster May there not be room in that boat, leaky though it is, for Messrs Randall and Barnum and for the experts in handwriting who testified, after close examination to the undoubted genuineness of Garfield's signature? An answer to this query, given from the standpoint of fairness, will go to the merits of the case, a feature carefully avoided by the average comment of the stalwart journals.

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The learned writer Navarrete in his [illegible] of the [illegible] made by the Spaniards published within the last few years [illegible] by the most authentic testimony that [illegible] experiment [illegible] propel a vessel by the motive power of steam was made at Barcelona in 1543 with [illegible] He states which the inventor [illegible] a period not less than 85 [illegible] before Brain [illegible] published the idea in Italy more than a century before the Marquis of Worcester in England applied the power of steam to the purpose of labor and nearly 300 years before Fulton combining the advantages of all contemporary engines succeeded in producing an effective steamboat in the United States of North America. However singular it may appear it is some it is completely authenticated by various records in Spain particularly in those in Simancas where the circumstances are so fully detailed as to place the subject beyond a doubt. In 1543 a mechanic of Marine named Blasco De Garay offered to exhibit in the presence of the emperor Charles V a machine by means of which a vessel might be impelled without the assistance of sails or oars — The proposition in the first place appeared ridiculous but the engineer remained so convinced that the power of the machine would be adequate to the production of the effect announced that he commenced anew his representations to the government supplicating his majesty to command the execution of the project. The emperor in consequence appointed a commission to proceed to Barcelona to witness the experiment and to report upon the result. The engineer, Garay, secure now of making a proof of his invention prepared a merchant ship called La Trinidad of 200 tons burden, (thus states the record) and the commissioners having arrived, the experiment was made on the 17th June 1543. Immediately upon a given signal the vessel was put in motion, proceeding forward it turned from one side to the other, according to the will of the steersman, and finally returned to the place whence it started without the assistance of sails, oars, or any visible machinery, except an immense cauldron of boiling water, a complicated number of wheels within, and paddles gyrating without. The multitude assembled on the sea shore remained filled with admiration at the sight of this prodigy, the port of Barcelona resounded with applause, and the commissioners, who witnessed the performance with the greatest enthusiasm, related to the emperor that Garay had accomplished with his machine as much as he had undertaken to do. But the head of the commission, Ravago, who was then chief treasurer of the kingdom, either through ignorance or some other of those unseen causes which influence the conduct of statesmen, showed himself but little favorable either to the inventor or the machine. After confessing the success of the experiment, and expressing his approbation of the ingenuity of Garay, he endeavored to persuade the emperor that the invention would be of little or no utility that its complicated construction would require constant repairs, attended with immense expense, that the vessel would not proceed at the rate of much more than a league an hour, and more slowly when freighted, and, finally, that the boiler, unable to resist the force of the steam for any extended period, would frequently burst and become productive of the most dreadful accidents. Such was the substance of the opinion given by this covetous or invidious minister. Though Charles V remained persuaded by the representations of his treasurer he was not insensible to the merits of the inventor, whom he promoted to the rank of an officer, and in addition to the expenses of the experiment presented him with a reward of 200 000 maravedis from the royal treasury, equivalent to 66 000 "reales de vellon," a very considerable sum at that period, and the munificence of which proves that the invention of Garay equalled, if it did not surpass, the most extraordinary productions of that era. The military expeditions planned by the emperor at that time, when the profession of arms constituted the glory of Spain and the honor of the Spaniards rendered the occasion ill adapted for the introduction into Europe of the advantages of steam navigation, and the honor which ancient Barcelona might have acquired by this noble discovery would not have been disputed at the present moment by a people of North America, who at the period alluded to were far from being in existence.

German Liberty

The Spectator

The government of Germany is daily becoming more oppressive. Freedom of the press has never existed either in the empire or its component states but freedom of thought and of the expression of thought in books has alway been the boast of Germans. Lately, however, the Berlin police warned the booksellers that they were instructed to seize all copies of a poem 40 years old because it contained an onslaught on the Prussian kings. This was no less a work than Heine's "Schloss Legende" which is to be suppressed even when the seizure of the volume spoils an entire edition of his works. This is as if the English police seized every copy of "Junius" or of a collection of Jacobite songs and is the longest step backward yet taken even by Prince Bismark. There is something about such an act indescribably insulting to such a people as he governs and which he will not trust even with literature a generation old. The persecution is so wretchedly incomplete too. The police should seize all New Testaments and tear out the Sermon on the Mount because it says "Blessed are the meek for they shall inherit the earth" which is clearly fatal to the expansion of [illegible] the existence of the Germanic empire. If the meek are to inherit the heritage of the Hohenzollerns will be but small.

Agriculture in Chili

S[illegible] American [illegible]

Much of the improvident method of agriculture in the Vale of Chili is ascribed to the fact that the land originally taken from the indigenous races by right of conquest was allotted to a few great proprietors whose descendants have held and still hold enormous estates passing from generation to generation, from father to son, and that these, being assured of [illegible] income [illegible] were [illegible] with [illegible] bequest [illegible] the [illegible] Mayorazgos or land owners have been [illegible] upon as the bane of Chili as fatal to this country as the Borghese the Chigi the Barberini and other princes are or were, to the [illegible] Campagna like these perpetual [illegible] the evil is that law of primogeniture which [illegible] content [illegible] all property as well as the government of the country in the interested hands of a few privileged families.

The Death of Jefferson

The Hon Alexander H H Stuart of Virginia has written an interesting letter giving an account of the celebration of Staunton [illegible] of the fiftieth anniversary of the Declaration of Independence. He says

Among the guests who assembled at the celebration held at the Eagle Tavern on the Fourth of July 1826 were most of the prominent [illegible] and [illegible] I well remember [illegible] Daniel Sheffey, Chapman Johnson, Briscoe [illegible] Baldwin, Thomas J Michie, William Kinney, N C Kinney and other citizens of the town were of the number and [illegible] Robert Porterfield James Bell Charles A Stuart and others of the same class from the country were present. The occasion was marked by hilarity. The speeches were brief sprightly and appropriate. Anecdotes were told. There were brilliant flashes of wit and fancy and all were in good humor and seemed to enjoy themselves. In this way the day was passed until early in town and the company [illegible] separate with mutual felicitations on the pleasure which they had enjoyed and the expression of hope that they might meet to commemorate many returns of the auspicious day. At this stage of the proceeding some one came into the porch and in a low tone communicated to Mr Chapman Johnson something which seemed to make a deep impression on him. I who was then a youth preparing myself to enter the university sat, with a few other young companions near the foot of the table and, being on the opposite side from Mr Johnson, had a full view of his face and, although I did not know the nature of the communication, could not fail to observe the grave expression of his countenance.

"The mystery was soon solved. Mr. Johnson rose, and in fitting terms announced to the company that news had just reached him of the death, near noon on that day of Thomas Jefferson. After a few remarks on the life, character, and public services of Mr Jefferson Mr. Johnson requested all present to fill their glasses as he desired to offer a sentiment. This was done. He then desired that the company would rise and remain standing. While we thus stood, deeply impressed with the solemnity of the event which had been thus unexpectedly announced, Mr. Johnson offered the following sentiment "The memory of Thomas Jefferson, author of the Declaration of Independence! Though the mortal man may never witness another celebration of the day which his pen has so much illustrated, his immortal spirit will be present and inspire the last anthem which hallows its memory." The sentiment was purely impromptu. He did not take time to commit it to paper. He gave it to us as it came gushing up, like living waters from the fountain of his great heart, and it found a response in the heart of every one who was present. As for myself, every word that he uttered became, as it were engrossed on the tablets of my memory, and, after the lapse of more than 54 years, I feel that I am able to report Mr Johnson's toast not only with substantial, but with literal, accuracy."

An Ungallant Translator

In a review of Professor Blackie's translation of 'Faust the Saturday Review says

"Will it be believed that the closing words

> Das Unbeschreibliche
> Hier ist es gethan,
> Das Ewig Weibliche
> Zieht uns hinan

are presented by him to the English reader thus

> Beauty immortal
> The [illegible] hails,
> Where the eternally-
> Female prevails.

Of course translation is baffled here, but only total want of sympathy could enable a scholar of Professor Blackie's ability to turn out such a caricature even by way of incidental illustration. Bayard Taylor's

> The Indescribable,
> Here it is done,
> The Woman Soul leadeth us
> Upward and on!

is at least in the right direction toward the movement and spirit of the original. And it is just the finer spirit and movement that, even where he is in sympathy with his author, Professor Blackie does not always preserve.

An Undergraduate's Excuse

Chambers Journal

An undergraduate was summoned before one of the Dons for not attending the 7 o'clock morning chapel. "Sir, said the Don, "let me hear what you have to say in excuse of your persistent absence from morning prayers." "Sir replied the delinquent, "the service is too late for me to be present." "Too late sir. How can 7 in the morning be considered a late hour?" "Well" replied the ingenious offender, "were the hour 4 or 5 or even 6 I might manage to be present, but to expect a man to sit up till 7 o clock in the morning in order to go to church, is more than human nature will endure."

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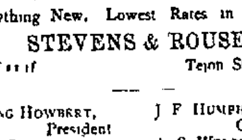
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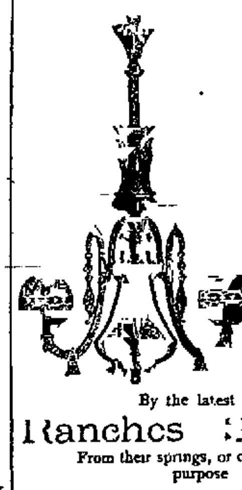
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SATURDAY, JANUARY 8 1881.

TIME TABLE.

Colorado Springs & Manitou R'y.

GOING EAST

Leave Manitou.	Arrive Colorado Springs.
9 a. m.	9 30 a. m.
11 a. m.	11 30 a. m.
3 30 p. m.	3 5 p. m.
6 00 p. m.	6 30 p. m.

GOING WEST

Leave Colorado Springs	Arrive at Manitou
10 a. m.	10 30 a. m.
12 30 a. m.	12 50 p. m.
4 30 p. m.	5 p. m.
6 40 p. m.	7 p. m.

Denver and Rio Grande Railway.

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Through Freight		Way Freight	
Arrive	7 19 P. M.	Arrive	10 55 A. M.
Leave	7 55 P. M.	Leave	11 35 A. M.
Leadville Express		*Eastern Express*	
Arrive.	11 35 A. M.	Arrive.	4 02 P. M.
Leave	11 40 A. M.	Leave	4 07 P. M.
San Juan Express		*San Juan Express*	
Arrive	10 40 P. M.	Arrive	3 10 A. M.
Leave	10 50 P. M.	Leave	3 15 A. M.

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Trustee's and Sheriff's Sales	8 00

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Contents of the Weekly Gazette.

The WEEKLY GAZETTE for January 8th appears this morning and presents an interesting table of contents.

The first page is devoted to Colorado statistics, embracing the ore output of Leadville for 1880, the weather report also the lumber, wool and flour product for the past year.

An entire page is devoted to telegraph dispatches where will be found the latest news from the old and new world. These dispatches will be found of especial interest as they refer largely to matters of interest in the state including the governor's message and some important facts concerning the session of the state legislature. The Christiancy divorce case and the Garfield-Morey story are given considerable space.

Among the editorials will be found a sketch and table concerning the Arapahoe county assessment, together with an article on railroad legislation. There are in addition a large number of editorial notes upon home and foreign topics.

The local department presents a very interesting table of contents. The most important item is the review of the amount of building done in the city during the past year. An itemized list is given showing each building constructed during the year, together with the estimated cost. There is also a full list of the marriages filed with the county clerk during the year, giving the names of the contracting parties, as well as the name of the officiating clergyman.

Upon the third and fourth pages will be found considerable miscellaneous matter, consisting of articles of interest to many of our readers. Rejoicing upon the New Year coming of age, by Charles Lamb, is worthy of consideration, as are also many of the other miscellaneous sketches.

The mail from the east has not arrived on time in over a week. How long is this inconvenience to continue?

The Denver & Rio Grande express office in Bennett's new store is being handsomely furnished with desks and shelving.

Work on the interior of the Opera House seems to progress slowly and the probabilities are that it will not be finished until the first of April if not later.

Prospectors are making daily trips to the surrounding foot hills and quite a number of claims have been staked in formations similar to that in which the Mastiff shaft was sunk.

La Plata bids fair to become an agricultural county of no mean importance. There are several streams, the Uranos, the La Plata, the Animas, the Florida and the Los Pinos, in the county, capable of irrigating the 70,000 acres of arable land which it contains. The elevation is only 5000 feet.

In another column will be found Sergeant O'Keeffe's meteorological report for for the month of December. The range of the barometer was .20 inches greater than any other month since the establishment of the signal station on Pike's Peak. Several sun dogs of unusual brilliancy were visible during the month.

Dr. G. S. Brooks and Mr. J. Q. Adams, of this city, have tranferred their combined interest in the Last Chance mine on Crystal mountain to the Elk Mountain Gold & Silver Mining company for a consideration valued at $50,000. Dr. Brooks spent the entire summer in the Gunnison country, and has the credit of being one of the most enterprising and untiring prospectors that ever visited that section of the country. Those who were with him say that he can do more mountain climbing in one day than the best of them. He and Mr. Adams still retain some valuable claims on Crystal mountain, among which are the Morning and Evening Star, Clinton, Black Tulip, S. S. M., Lizzie, Emma and Lincoln.

Personal.

Mr W. N. Smith, of the Novelty Manufacturing company of Denver, was in the city yesterday.

Dr J. W. Brennan was among the departures for Denver on the afternoon express yesterday.

Mr. W. N. Babcock, late general agent of the Union Pacific railroad company, has been appointed general agent for the freight and passenger department of the Chicago & Northwestern railway company, in the state of Colorado, with headquarters at 263 16th street, Tabor block, Denver; in place of Mr. V. M. Came, resigned. All claims for loss, damages or overcharges on freight consigned to Colorado points, should be promptly forwarded to Mr. Babcock

Prospective Base Ball

The following persons have signed with the College Boys' nine for the season of '81. The boys rejoice in having a new man to fill the position of catcher, and are now endeavoring to secure a curve pitcher for part of the season at least: F. Mintor, W. Johnson, B. Covert, F. B. Hart, H. S. La Lenne, E. Peery, J. T. O'Keeffe, J. F. McIntire, Chas. Stiles, F. L. Cooper. From this list the captain will choose his nine and the rest will be considered substitutes. The College Boys' base ball nine will give an entertainment in Court House Hall the last of this month, which will be worthy the patronage of all.

Pike's Peak Meteorological Record

For the month of January, 1881.
Mean barometer, 29 754 inches.
Highest barometer, 30.217 inches on Dec. 17th, 1880.
Lowest barometer 29 213 inches, on Dec. 4th.
Monthly range of barometer, 1 004 inches.
Highest temperature 22° on Dec. 10th and 12th, 1880.
Lowest temperature 15° on Dec 5th and 6th, 1880.
Monthly range of temperature. 33°
Greatest daily range of temperature, 23° on Dec. 6th.
Least daily range of temperature, 10° on Dec. 3rd and 22nd.
Total rainfall or melted snow, 1 69 inches.
Prevailing wind. West.
Total movement of wind 19 942 miles.
Maximum velocity of wind and direction 78 miles at 1 a. m., Dec. 6th, wind West.
No. of foggy days. 1.
No. of clear days on which rain or snow fell. 1.
No. of clear days on which no rain or snow fell, 6.
No. of fair days on which rain or snow fell, 6.
No. of fair days on which no rain or snow fell, 8.
No. of cloudy days on which rain or snow fell, 8.
No. cloudy days on which no rain or snow fell. 1.
Total No. of days on which rain or snow fell, 16.
Total No. of days on which no rain or snow fell, 15.
Dates of auroras. None.
Dates of solar halos. None.
Dates of lunar halos. One on the 15th.
Dates of frost Dec. 1st, 2d, 3th, 7th, 10th, 19th, 22d, 23d, 27th, and 31st.
Several sun dogs of unusual brilliancy were observed during the month.

NOTE. The range of the barometer is .20 of an inch greater than any previous month since the establishment of the station.

Summit of Pike's Peak, Colo., Dec., 1880.
J. T. O'KEEFFE,
Serj. Sig. Corps, U. S. A.

A lively set-to occurred upon the depot platform upon the arrival of the afternoon express yesterday. A dispute arose between the colored porter of the reclining chair car and an another gentleman concerning the admittance of a dog into the car. After some high words it was evident that they had both agreed to disagree and a fight ensued. Before many blows had been exchanged the fight became general, as several of the bystanders had taken a hand. Some of the participants lent a helping hand out of a desire to see fair play. The disturbance was finally quelled without resulting in serious injury to any one.

The week of prayer closes to-morrow night. This evening there will be prayer for Christian missions, and for the conversion of the world to Christ. To morrow evening there will be considered the following theme: The Ministration of the Holy Spirit.

The old awning which surrounded the store on the corner of Pike's Peak avenue and Tejon street has been removed. It has long been an eye-sore and its absence from the corner is noticed with pleasure by all who pass up and down our main thoroughfare.

It has recently been discovered that Albert Batie and Edward Elsnier, the two men arrested a few days ago for cruelty to animals, stole an overcoat and several other small articles just before they left Manitou. The overcoat belonged to a young man who was working at Manitou and was taken out of his room some time during the afternoon of the day they were there. This will account for their anxiety to get off on the train at the time Officer Clement arrested them.

It will be remembered that a young man fell in a fit at Court House Hall on the night of the Catholic ball, and he subsequently discovered that his pocket book containing $72 had been stolen from him at the time. It was rather the opinion of many that his loss was fictitious one, but the other day the janitor of the hall found an empty pocket book at the foot of the steps in the hall entrance answering the description of the one lost by him.

FRUITS AND FARMS.

What the Denver Horticultural Society Says About Grapes

The Denver News of yesterday contains a very complete account of the meeting of the State Horticultural society a portion of, which we reproduce as follows:

The third and last day of the joint session of the Agricultural and Horticultural societies of the state began at 10 o'clock yesterday morning in the chapel of the Methodist university. The attendance was large, even beyond that observed on the two first days of the session, and the interest was visibly on the increase, it having been practically demonstrated that there was a great deal to learn, and that these meetings were the best place to gain the knowledge sought.

After the president had rapped the meeting to order the subject of grapes was again opened and after some slight discussion, the paper of Mr. Devinney was referred to with a request on the part of Mr. Grimes that it be read. This request was acceded to and the paper was brought before the attention of the meeting. The speaker was of the opinion that the subject had not been given the attention that its importance demanded, and he was in favor of extending to it more consideration than had hitherto characterized it. "There is no fruit," said he, "more palatable, or more wholesome, or more remunerative from a pecuniary standpoint." He had had twelve years' experience as a culturist and knew, therefore, that any soil which will grow other crops will do for grapes. The ground ought to be well and deeply manured as a general rule, but it was best to keep the manure out of the hills. Bones were considered good. The rows should be eight feet apart, with plants seven feet apart in the row, and the roots should be spread, instead of pushed, down. Plant in March and April. The varieties best adapted and most desirable were the Hartford, the Champion, the Delaware and the Massasoit. If the speaker had known these things before it would have saved him many hundreds of dollars and a great deal of useless work. He would not advise planting later than the time above mentioned.

The Concord is considered an early grape in the east, but it will not make wine for from two to four weeks after it colors. It does not fully ripen its whole crop with me, he said, and I would not grow it when better varieties are to be had. The most desirable of all are the Delaware, the Champion, the Massassoit or the Rogers No. 3, which is red, vigorous and always promising. The foreign grapes are the best and are at the same time the most delicious, but a little tender. Protection to vines in the winter time in this climate was considered highly necessary. As to pruning, it was deemed advisable to trim low, and this was best done in October. The results will depend altogether on culture. Grapes bring better prices here than in any section of the country and hence their cultivation is a matter of great profit.

Mr. Osborne asked the speaker to give him three or four of the best varieties and Mr. Devinney thought that the Delaware, Champion and Roger's No. 3 would fill the want. The Concord was recommended with a good deal of hesitation. It was deemed good stock to graft from. His soil is heavy clay, level ground and no exposure.

Mr. Newcomb thought that Delaware, Creveling, Chasselas or the Martha varieties were very good, as in his experience he has found them so.

Dr. Edwards desired to ask if pruning had any influence on the ripening of the grape, to which Mr. Devinney replied that he thought it had not. He had trained vines up, and also lying along the ground, and the latter ripened earliest, and he had found, too, that ripening took place soonest where the vines were trained along a wall.

Mr. Southworth called attention to the necessity of covering bunches with paper sacks to hasten ripening.

Mr. Newcomb recommended trimming to standard height, say three feet, and allow the buds to start either way.

Dr. Edwards said he had observed at Mr. Cook's farm on Ralston creek, that the fruit ripens earlier near the stalk.

J. M. Clark said he had set some Concords two years ago, and had made no extra preparations for them, nor pruned them, and yet he had got a fair crop of fruit. Ripening took place before the frost came. If pruned in the fall he considered the paper bag system a good one.

The discussion on this question lasted a considerable time.

A lecture on "Butter," with practical illustrations of improved implements, was then given by Mr. H. Stratton, of Fort Collins. His remarks were particularly good, and his suggestions were considerably deeper than the average listener might regard them. When he had concluded, the matter was discussed.

The entire afternoon, which was intended to close the proceedings, was devoted to a discussion of the question of irrigation, being opened by Hon. B. S La Grange, of Weld county, who entered upon a very full exposition of the chosen topic. He spoke of the right and title different parties had in the ditches, and their great importance, and claimed that the ditches were public property, in which the main object should be the performance of the greatest good. He suggested the propriety of dividing the state into districts, and these districts to be again subdivided. With regard to the law on the irrigation subject, it was inefficient and inadequate, and should be made to suit all conditions and circumstances, and the speaker referred to some of the causes of trouble which have hitherto existed. Carelessness in the recording of ditches was one of these.

The discussion then went to the house and many gentlemen participated in it, and at the close Mr. Washburne moved the appointment of a committee of seven to draft a suitable bill for reference to the legislature on the question at issue. The motion was carried. A committee of three, consisting of Messrs. La Grange, Washburne and Southworth, was then appointed to select the complement of gentlemen required.

They reported in favor of Messrs. La Grange, M. N. Everett, Emigh, R. A. Southworth, Horman, Buell and Osborne.

This closed the business, and after a vote of thanks had been tendered Dr. Moore for the use of the building, and the press for full reports, and to the hotels and railroads, the joint meeting adjourned.

OUR WEST.

Durango had a Christmas tree.

El Paso county married off 152 persons during 1880.

Leadville is to be connected with Denver by telephone.

A foot of snow fell at Ouray on Wednesday night of last week

The Central Register-Call has adopted a new style of head letter.

The Plunketts are at Central, alternating between "Othello" and "Black Diamonds"

The Southwest has moved to Durango, leaving Animas City to the mercy of the future.

They have two papers at Durango now, neither of which is more than two weeks old, yet Durango is having her little newspaper war allee samee.

Two miners fell down a 60 feet shaft at the Bull Domingo mine, Silver Cliff, Monday. One of them got up and brushed the dirt from his hat and went to work. The other was slightly bruised.

Within the next thirty days, or as soon as the Denver & Rio Grande railway reaches Chama, Barlow & Sanderson will put on a line of Concord coaches to Durango, which will be a vast help in expediting business and trade.

Sitting Bull hesitates about surrendering, desiring to be the last to lay down his arms. A chief named Gall seems taking the lead of affairs now, and it was he who led the Indians in the recent fight in which three of their number were killed. A correspondent describes Gall and explains the state of affairs previous to the trouble as follows: In the slang of the day, Chief Gall is a chief with a horrible Gall, as exemplified by his conduct at the agency. Some time during the past summer he crossed the Canadian line and proceeded in the direction of Buford, ostensibly for the purpose of surrendering. On arriving at Poplar river he appears to have changed his intentions, evidently thinking that the agency afforded unusual advantages for a display of bravado. Entering the trader's store he demanded that $10 be paid him and his people for buffalo robes, saying that his heart told him they were worth that amount. His heart appears to have been wrong, however, as he failed to sell his robes at the price demanded. This system of bulldozing was for a time indulged in. At length two companies of the eleventh infantry, aggregating about fifty men, made their appearance at the agency. This insignificant force was ridiculed by Gall, and by him given notice to leave at a stated time. They, however, did not leave, but succeeded in checking the savages and restoring law and order. In the meantime Gall's force had been gradually augmented by parties from Sitting Bull's camp, until from a mere hunting party at the outset it has reached at present a formidable aspect. On the 15th of December five companies of the Fifth infantry left Fort Keogh, arriving at Poplar river December 24th. This force was farther increased by a company of the Seventh cavalry and a detachment of the Seventh infantry, from this post, the whole commanded by Major Ilges, of the Fifth infantry. The tables have thus been completely turned on Gall, and rumors have reached your correspondent that things have reached a crisis, and a few days will witness the termination of Gall's bravado.

DIED.

HALL January 7th, 1881, Mr. S. C. Hall, aged 63 years.

Funeral from the family residence in the Cascade Villas, Saturday, January 8, at 2:30 o'clock p. m. Friends of the family are invited to be present.

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The Junction House property at the head of Ute Pass, 10 miles above Manitou, and at the point where the Leadville South Park, Fairplay, Summit Park and Manitou Park roads turn into the Ute Pass road, consisting of 160 acres of land, 2½ miles of post fence; frame hotel of 12 rooms with 65 feet of porch, well finished inside and out, wood house, milk house and cellar, all under same roof as hotel building; large yard with 120 feet of good picket fence in front, two large open fireplaces in hotel, also stabling for 18 span of horses, loft holds five tons of hay, granary; ice house holding 100 tons with pond near to it with capacity for cutting 200 tons; hennery 16x25 feet, log camp house 16x20 feet, calf house 14x24 feet; five corrals with sheds; good well near stable; spring near house; stream of water runs through the property; eighteen acres under cultivation; good range for cattle. This is the best stopping place in the mountains, and an energetic man can make a good thing out of it. The present owner is getting old and wishes to retire from active business.

A beautiful home just south of town, one mile from postoffice, comprising two acres of land set out with fruit and shade trees, strawberries, currants and gooseberries in bearing, 60 grape vines to bear next year, well of soft water. Cheyenne and Fountain creeks running close by. Good frame, plastered house of 6 rooms, open grate, porch, bay window, stoned up cellar; very handsomely and completely furnished. Will sell grounds, house, furniture, etc., for $2,600. A GREAT BARGAIN.

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Ranch of 160 acres of fenced and deeded land on East Kiowa Creek, near Gomer's Mills Postoffice, with log house of 5 rooms, barn, corral, chicken house, etc; creek running through the ranch, and also an excellent never failing spring. Will cut 20 tons of hay this year; 25 acres in onions, turnips, cabbage and other vegetables; 3 acres first class potatoes. Big and small timber in quantity on the ranch. Has range for several thousand sheep or cattle. Will sell for $1,600 if at once.

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The fine property on Tejon street, above Kiowa, and adjoining Dr. Coombs' office on the corner, consisting of a very valuable lot with two story house of eight rooms, summer kitchen and porch, city water in summer kitchen and on first and second floors of house. The house is fully furnished and furniture will be included in sale.

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Two room unfurnished house on North Weber, $7 a month.

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